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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Dear Sir:

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Section 1
Preliminary Statements

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Section 2
Identification of Time of Filing

This Information Disclosure Statement accompanies the new patent application submitted herewith. The references were cited in the present specification.

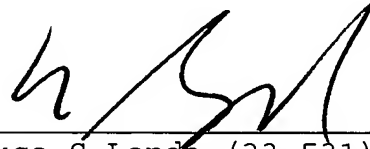
Section 4
Statements with Respect to Listing of Information

A list of the patent and publication is set forth on the attached 1 page of Form PTO-1449 (modified).

Section 6
Statements with Respect to Copies of Listed Information
Items Accompanying This Statement

A copy of each of the items on PTO-1449 (modified) is supplied
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Respectfully Submitted,

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